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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM SOBER

E.O. 11652; N/A

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SUBJECT: FINANCIAL TIMES SYMPOSIUM

REF: CAIRO 5193

1. YOU HAVE LATER INFORMATION THAN AVAILABLE TO US HERE  
ON DEVELOPMENT OF PROPOSED PROGRAM FOR FINANCIAL TIMES-AL  
AKBAR SYMPOSIUM. DEPASSTSEC HOSTLER WAS SUGGESTED BY  
SECRETARY RICHARDSON AS STAND-IN FOR PROPOSED TALK ON  
"THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE US TO EGYPTIAN DEVELOPMENT."  
HOSTLER TALK IS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 8.

2. IF YOU SHOULD DECIDE TO ACCEPT INVITATION TO SPEAK  
AT JUNE 7 OPENING DAY DINNER, I THINK YOU COULD ADDRESS  
YOURSELF PRINCIPALLY EITHER TO U.S. ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR  
EGYPT OR TO EVOLVING U.S. POSITION ON NORTH-SOUTH  
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QUESTIONS. THE FIRST TOPIC WOULD NATURALLY CONCERN

ITSELF WITH THE FACT THAT THE LARGEST SINGLE BILATERAL AID PROGRAM U.S. IS NOW ADMINISTERING--AND PROPOSING FOR THE YEAR AHEAD--IS FOR EGYPT (A.I.D. PLUS FOOD ASSISTANCE). YOU PROBABLY ALREADY HAVE ALL THE NECESSARY FACTS AT YOUR FINGERTIPS TO COVER THIS TOPIC AND TO EXPAND ON IT IN WAYS THAT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE IN YOUR ROLE AS U.S. AMBASSADOR.

AS FOR THE SECOND POSSIBLE TOPIC, THE MAJOR NEW SOURCE TO DRAW ON WILL BE THE SECRETARY'S ADDRESS TO UNCTAD IV AT NAIROBI ON MAY 6. ALTHOUGH TEXT WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE BEFORE THEN, THERE SHOULD BE SUFFICIENT TIME BETWEEN THEN AND JUNE 7 FOR YOU TO DEVELOP A VERY INTERESTING TALK THAT MIGHT ALSO REVIEW THE IMPORTANT PROGRESSION IN THE U.S. APPROACH TO NORTH-SOUTH ISSUES IN THE PAST YEAR (E.G., SECRETARY'S ADDRESS TO SEVENTH UNGA SPECIAL SESSION AND CIEC).

3. I FULLY UNDERSTAND THE SENSITIVITY OF YOUR POSSIBLY HAVING TO DEAL WITH INVESTMENT CLIMATE QUESTION, BUT YOU MIGHT VERY WELL BE ABLE TO SKIP SUCH QUESTION AT A DINNER MEETING. IF IT IS TO BE ADDRESSED AT ALL, IT WOULD NATURALLY FALL INTO SCOPE OF HOSTLER'S APPEARANCE.

4. FINALLY, DECISION ON WHETHER YOU SHOULD ACCEPT DINNER SPEAKING INVITATION IS BOUND TO HINGE, AT SEEMS TO ME, ON WHETHER YOU CONCLUDE ACCEPTANCE WOULD BE A NET PLUS OR A NET MINUS IN OUR RELATIONS. I SEE NO STRONGLY DECISIVE ARGUMENTS ON EITHER SIDE.

5. PLEASE LET ME KNOW HOW YOU COME OUT. WE WILL WANT TO INFORM HOSTLER SO THAT HE MAY BE GOVERNED ACCORDINGLY IN PREPARING HIS PRESENTATION. IF YOU DECIDE TO ACCEPT AND WOULD LIKE SOME INPUT FROM HERE, WE WOULD NATURALLY TRY TO BE HELPFUL. KISSINGER

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